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INTERESTING COMMUNICATION

From Far Off Cavite—Eldred A. Davis, an Earlington Boy, in Philippine Islands.

WRITES OF UNCLE SAM'S FLEET AND OTHER MATTERS.

*U. S. S. Wompatuck, In Squadron, Standing Off Cavite, P. I.
Feb. 2, 1904.*

EATOR BEE.

DEAR SIR:—EVERY American does or should take a deep interest in the magnificent display of force made by the United States in Asiatic waters, for I can assure you that Uncle Sam is sunny Jim in the Orient. So if you can spare the space in your busy columns, I will endeavor to tell something of my personal observations in the antipodes.

On Jan. 7, 1904, this little vessel steamed into the harbor of Sandakan, British North Borneo, and one of the first things to greet our sight were the sturdy little gunboats, the Samar and Albay. Also in this port were anchored an English ship of the cruiser class and a German of great tonnage. It was with pride that we noted the splendid show we made in comparison with the foreigners.

Visiting parties boarded both the foreign vessels and were returned. I have had the privilege of visiting a number of foreign ships, in these and other waters, and cannot fail to note with pleasure the profound respect that all nations show those that sail from the land of the free and the brave. Especially can it be said of the English that they show us every possible courtesy.

Well, our stay in Sandakan lasted nearly two weeks, in which time we saw a great deal of both the drills and personnel of the German and English ships. We enjoyed our stay immensely. While there I had the novel experience of an elephant hunt. For two days we rambled in the jungle, but of that I'll say nothing, for I am sure I could not do justice without leaving the impression that I had no more regard for veracity than the proverbial sailor man; besides, I started in to tell you of other things. We left Sandakan and proceeded for this bay, putting in at the Sulu Islands for about twelve hours.

We arrived here without mishap and found the United States Asiatic fleet at Cavite, and a beautiful sight it was. Cruisers, battleships, gunboats and tenders, all clustered around Admiral Evans' (Fighting Bob) flag, which was floating peacefully at the minniest of that queen of the American navy, the battleship Kentucky, or as our English

cousins call her, "the blooming floating fort," and aptly so, for I have never seen a ship that will compare with her, as she stands with her formidable, double row of broadside guns, and double turrets fore and aft, containing those mammoth 13 inch guns you have heard so much about. Next in line was the bulldog Oregon, with her bristling rows of diplomatic persuasion. Off her port side lay the heavy plated Wisconsin, which made a splendid lee for the trim little cruisers Cincinnati, Raleigh, Albany and that ocean greyhound, the New Orleans, as well as a number of lesser craft.

The monitors Madnock and Monterey, with the gunboats Helena and Wilmington, are in northern waters, but they are not needed here, as no addition is necessary to prove the efficiency of this fleet, lying as she does in sight of the battered wrecks of the proud Dons, which still stand as a monument to the gallant Dewey and his tars, who brought Old Glory into this bay, on that memorable spring day, and practically labeled the entrance, "All hope abandon, ye who enter here," that all nations not on peaceful missions might heed.

This is the second time I have seen this grand fleet together, and too much cannot be said in praise of it and the way it is managed.

Fleets assembled remind me of a crowd of small boys, each exposing to the other the size of his muscles.

At colors in the morning it is the custom of each ship's band to play the national air of all others present. It would not take a diplomat or musician to gauge the relations of nations by the music. For instance, when a Spanish band plays Columbia you can detect a bit of the air of "When I get some money I am coming around." The American band plays the Spanish air with more or less of "Till we meet again" tune. Then you can hear the Jap start off with something like "I am looking for the bully," but she is quickly answered by the Russians with that old song, "I got mine, boys," and so on. The relations are manifested in small ways by their defenders.

We are sorry to say that the great Kentucky will soon be en route home, but in her place we get the Baltimore and torpedo flotilla, and then finish target practice in this bay and scatter over waters, to concentrate again in the fall, and so the thing goes, cruise about, only assemble anon and show the size of "de gang."

For fear of drifting into seamanship technicalities, I will bring this to a close, threatening to write again when I join my new ship, for I am looking for



VICEROY ALEXIEFF, THE CZAR'S COMMANDER IN CHIEF IN MANCHURIA.

Vice Admiral Alexieff, although a sailor, is in charge of the czar's land and water forces in the empire. He is a consistent aggressor and forward policy has led to his successes. As a sort of Russian Pooch Bah he is the supreme authority in Manchuria in civil as well as military and naval affairs. He led the allies in the relief of Peking several years ago.

orders to sail for Japan and Siberia, on the U. S. S. New Orleans.

Mrs. Willie Radford Pasmore, of Pembroke, died suddenly in Houston, Tex., Friday while on a visit to her brother, Jas. A. Radford. She was suffering with an abscessed tooth, and while undergoing an operation succumbed to the effects of the chloroform. Until her return to this country a year ago her home was at Denver, Col. She spent the year 1902 with her brother, Capt. Cyrus S. Radford, of the United States navy, in the Philippines, China and Japan, and had recently made her home with her older brother, Walter A. Radford, of Pembroke. The body was brought to Hopkinsville and buried Sunday.

MISS LANIE COZART, Of Madisonville, Has Collar Bone Broken, While Returning From a Party.

While returning from a party given at the residence of Sheriff W. E. Ashby, at Madisonville, Saturday evening, Miss Lanie Cozart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cozart, had the misfortune to break her collar bone. Some one had left a gate open, which in the darkness was not observed. Miss Lanie struck the gate with such force she was thrown into a ditch sustaining injuries as mentioned above.

Shooting at Nortonville.

Jim Davis and John Scott, colored, engaged in a shooting scrape over a crap game at Nortonville Sunday and a stray bullet struck John Bass, a bystander, also colored, giving him a wound that will likely prove fatal. No arrests were made.

P. H. LARKIN,

Engineer on Fast Express, Killed Near Meridian, Miss.

Engineer P. H. Larkin, of the A. & G. S. Ry., was killed near Meridian, Miss., Monday in a head-on collision with a freight train. The express train was several hours late and the freight crew forgot them. Mr. Larkin was a brother of Mrs. Dave Houlihan, of this city, and was formerly employed by the L. & N. here. There were six killed in the wreck, including Engineer Larkin, Mail Clerks Riggs and Nicholson, of Chattanooga, two colored firemen and Mail Weighter Davidson, of Chattanooga. Mrs. Houlihan received a message from Chattanooga Monday saying her brother had been killed, but giving no particulars.

Note in Spanish

The following is quoted from "El International," of Feb. 23, published at Ciudad Porfirio Diaz Mexico:

Despues de viajar durante tres semanas por el interior de nuestro pais y de regreso a su patria, estan aqui por tres dias, visitando al Sr. W. S. Martin y su familia, el capitalista americano Sr. J. B. Atkinson acompanado de su distinguida esposa.

When a woman accuses her husband of having poor judgement his mind slowly wanders back to the time when he asked her to marry him and he agrees with her.

Unless a man has great faith and is exceedingly hungry he never calls for the second plate hash at a second rate boarding house.

The wise girl who possesses such an unromantic thing as an appetite should marry a butcher instead of a poet.

When a married lady sits for her portrait her husband has stand for it.

LIVELY ARREST.

Court-Martial Proceedings at Paducah—Squad Resisted by Railroad Employees.

Paducah, Ky., March 5.—Maj. E. B. Bassett, of Hopkinsville, has been holding court-martial here, at which eleven privates, of Company I, the local State militia company, are being tried for failing to report for drills and refusing to report for inspection contrary to orders from Major Bassett, who inspected Thursday afternoon and night.

Sheriff L. D. Potter refused to serve warrants against the boys, and a squad of privates from Co. I was detailed to make the arrests.

At the N. & St. L. depot the squad was attacked with sledge hammers by employees who wanted to protect Private Jim Arnett, who worked there, from arrest, and in the fight two privates were slightly injured about the hands.

The result of the court-martial will be sent to Gov. Beckham tonight for approval.

Several of the young men tried are of prominence here.

Dies From Effects of Chloroform.

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Victor for the Defendants.

The \$25,000 damage suit of A. E. Goldworth against former Sheriff J. J. Barnes and his surety, alleging false arrest and imprisonment, tried at Hopkinsville last week, resulted in a verdict for the defendants.

The arrest was made during the Empire mining troubles nearly three years ago, when Special Deputy R. H. Coffey was killed.

Truants Return.

Tillman and Clarence Clark, the young sons of Mr. R. N. Clark, of this city, who left home last Friday afternoon for Oklahoma Territory without first obtaining the permission of their parents, returned with their father Saturday on 51. The boys were located at Sebree. Tillman and Clarence had evidently been listening to the glowing description of Oklahoma as given by Julius Coenen, and had been convinced that it was a land flowing with milk and honey, hence their great desire to emigrate.



FIELD MARSHAL COUNT TARO KATSURA, PREMIER OF JAPAN.

Count Katsura is both premier and minister of the interior of Japan. He is a statesman of great sagacity and one of Japan's famous soldiers. His early military education was received in Germany.



ONE OF RUSSIA'S FORMIDABLE FORTS AT PORT ARTHUR.

Since the Japanese were compelled to evacuate Port Arthur by several of the powers the Russians have worked diligently on its fortifications, and the forts are supposed to be very powerful. During the war with China the Japanese captured Port Arthur after a hard fight. The channel leading from the harbor is a tortuous one, and when the Russian fleet ventured outside recently, only to suffer severely from Japanese torpedo attack, the ships were three days in effecting the change of position.

SHORT LOCALS

What does Breeches and Lugs say now?

Henry D. Coward has been very sick for a few days.

If you want to buy or sell farming land or city property it will pay you to see the hustling real estate people, W. C. McLeod & Co.

Are you going to "The Wooden Wedding?"

Mrs. Albert Toombs is on the sick list this week.

Miss Lizzie Huff was on the sick list first of the week.

Everyone is going to "The Wooden Wedding"—are you?

Have your horse shod and buggy repaired at Newton's shop.

Dr. B. G. Bennett, Osteopath physician from Madisonville, has opened a branch office at the Denton Hotel. Examination free.

No foolishness, McLeod's shoes have wins.

You will be well paid if you attend "The Wooden Wedding."

The biggest thing of the season—"The Wooden Wedding."

General repairing done at Newton's shop.

Be on the lookout for the date of "The Wooden Wedding."

You are cordially invited to attend "The Wooden Wedding." R. S. V. P.

Feed, flour, baled hay and straw at W. C. McLeod's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Webb will move into their new house some time this week.

All of your friends will be at "The Wooden Wedding," so do not fail to meet them there.

You are not expected to buy a present when you come to "The Wooden Wedding."

Furnished rooms to rent. Apply at this office.

Jas. Crenshaw, who has been on the sick list a few days, is able to attend to business again.

Harry Coenen has returned from Cloverport, where he has been decorating one of the finest residences in that town.

Seed potatoes, onion sets, garden and field seeds at W. C. McLeod's.

Miss Anna Rice has returned from Eastern markets where she purchased an up-to-date line of millinery.

Miss Anna Moore has returned from Louisville, where she purchased a swell line of millinery goods.

Special horse shoes, such as side weight, toe weight, trotting plates and special light steel driving shoes at Newton's shop.

Mr. Wolfgang, of Evansville, is employed in the St. Bernard Drug Store while Mr. Thomas Treheren is in Florida for his health.

Ask the first tenor and baritone of the "Harmonious Four" bow they came out from Madisonville Sunday night.

McLeod is the old reliable winner. You win when you trade with him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Victory, of this city, are in Cincinnati this week purchasing spring and summer goods.

The fishing season will open in a few weeks, and minnows, crawfish and red worms will be greatly in demand.

Brakeen Miles Cannon has been on the north end for several days. Miles is a hustler and works well anywhere he is put.

They don't show you a larger or more up-to-date line of shoes than W. C. McLeod handles. See them.

C. Y. Cabinis, with Ragon Bros., of Evansville, failed to make his regular trip Tuesday on account of sickness.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. The druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25¢.

Dentist.

DR. J. E. TAYLOR
IS NOW PERMANENTLY LOCATED
IN EARLINGTON AND INVITES
ALL TO COME AND SEE
GIVE HIM A TRIAL.
ALL WORK FIRST CLASS
PRICES REASONABLE.
OFFICE OVER DEVILDER'S STORE

WANTED—White woman or girl to attend two small children and take care of house. Good wages will be paid the right party. Apply at this office.

Tarpon fishing has opened on the Florida coast and there is no telling what Bryan Hopper will return to Earlinton.

Thomas Treheren, who recently left for St. Petersburg, Fla., telegraphs friends that he reached his destination in good shape and is feeling better than when he left Kentucky.

It is something, the way McLeod sells goods.

Smallpox in Earlinton is a thing of the past and the last yellow flag has disappeared, for which let us be devoutly thankful.

Mr. O. P. Webb contemplates erecting a two story dwelling on one of his lots in the near future. The contract has not yet been let, however.

It's a bilious attack, tachy Chambrelain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick recovery is certain.

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlinton: Dr. F. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlinton.

Our local decorators, Coenen Bros., have just finished decorating the new residence of Bernard Good, of Sturgis. This is one of the finest residences in Union county, having cost \$20,000.

Geo. Toy was out Tuesday driving the highstepping span of chestnut sorrels recently purchased from Charlie Curtis by J. R. Rash.

Everybody trades with McLeod. He sells clean groceries at McLeod's.

Charlie Curtis thinks a great deal of Henry Rodgers, so much, in fact, that he clipped a large lock of Henry's hair with a pair of mule shears one day this week and will keep it as a momento.

You Know What You are Taking
When you take Grove's Tastoles Chill Tonie, because the formula is really pure and the bottleshop is it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, our pay .50¢.

It is said a young man, going to church with his girl last Sunday night, fell down three times while crossing the railroad at the Main street crossing. He was evidently excited.

Dr. A. O. Sisk and Rev. W. R. Jinnet were the successful candidates in the Oklahoma town lot contest, and will make the trip when the town is opened and the drawing takes place.

W. C. McLeod is building up a great reputation on his shoes.

Mr. J. T. Treheren, our popular druggist, left for St. Petersburg, Fla., Friday night to be gone an indefinite length of time. Mr. Treheren has been in declining health for some time and his physician thinks a sojourn in Florida will bring him around alright.

WANTED—Man and wife. Colored preferred. No children preferred. For general farm and house work. Will engage either separate. Good pay for good help. W. W. BIEBHEL, Box 25, Belleville, Ill.

McLeod's shoes fit well, wear well and last well. Try them.

The Earlinton Gun Club will open the season at their grounds Friday March 11th. Among the contestants will be Mr. H. C. Hirschey, the champion shot of Indiana, and Mr. Thos. A. Cassety, of Nashville. Tenu. The public is invited to attend.

Removal.
Drs. E. S. and S. J. Baker have moved into new offices over Dr. Long's drug store, Madisonville, Ky.

Druggist Jno. X. Taylor says some ungenerous scoundrel with an adenoidal heart and an eye for a woman has his fake chewing gum machine one day last week. He furthermore says he knows where the machine is, and if the guilty parties will return it no questions will be asked.

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PERSONALS

Mr. Joe A. Fenwick, of Bowling Green, visited relatives here last week.

Willie Feiler, who has been attending Lockyear Business College at Evansville for some time, returned to Earlinton last week.

Mrs. Mary Staver, after three weeks visit to relatives in Earlinton, has returned to her home in Evansville.

Miss Minnie Neal visited Mrs. Ed Rule one day last week.

Miss Georgia Wyatt was in Madisonville Friday.

Mrs. Edith Oldham and Mrs. Fugate and son returned last week from an extended trip to Florida points where they visited friends and relatives. They reported an enjoyable trip and a pleasant visit.

W. C. McLeod, the popular grocer and all round business man, was in Mortons Gap and Barnesley this week on business.

Roy Wilson, who is clerking for W. C. McLeod, was in Robards Saturday.

Walter McEuen, of St. Louis, is visiting the family of G. T. McEuen this week.

Mrs. Bessie Walker, of Hopkinsville, is visiting Mrs. E. A. Chatten this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones, of St. Louis, are visiting friends here this week.

Miss Mamie Rice, of Madisonville, was here this week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jenkins, of Madisonville, returned from their bldal trip to New Orleans.

Misses Elsie Hawes and Edna Overall, of Madisonville, were in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brodie are visiting relatives in Russellville.

Miss Lulu Smothers, of Mortons, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Hawes, this week.

Lesley Layhman was in Hopkinsville Sunday evening.

Vernon Allen, of the Hopkinsville Messenger, was here a short while Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ola and Lennie Williams and Eunie Raines, of Hanson, are visiting friends here this week.

Misses Rickie Campers of St. Charles, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Southworth, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Elmer Lynn, of this city, is visiting friends in Madisonville this week.

Mr. Muir, of this place, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Clay, has returned home.

Mrs. John Rule and charming daughter, Miss Virgie, were in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mesdames M. B. Long and Sallie Stevens were in Madisonville this week.

Mr. James Ashby and family, of the Hanson neighborhood, have moved to Earlinton and will make this their home.

Charles Curtis, the well known horse and mule buyer of this city, was in Madisonville Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Vistory was in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Mike Cain, of Mortons Gap, was here Wednesday on business.

Geo. Rash, of Madisonville, was here today this week.

Mrs. J. E. Fawcett and children visited relatives at Guthrie Saturday and Sunday.

Little Miss Noka Burdon, of this city, is visiting her sister, Miss Effie Burdon, of Evansville, Ind.

T. O. Long, of Earlinton, spent Sunday in the city of Evansville, Ind.

Waked Children.

For a long time the two year old child of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 59 N. Tenth St., Harrison, Pa., would not sleep at night, but slept most of the night, which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother decided that the child had a stomach trouble, so took her to one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and she slept the whole night. The effects of the Tablets have effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong.

This remedy is for sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlinton; B. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlinton.

H. S. BONSIR.

Charles M. W. Burden, an old Earlinton boy in Troop D. Third Cavalry, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Assiniboine, Mont., has been promoted from corporal to the grade of first sergeant. Charlie has many friends here who are glad to learn of his promotion.

Col. Albert Toombs is dragging around with a bad cold and says he feels worse than a booze fighter in a dry town.

Appetite poor? Bowels constipated? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills.

Want your moustache or beard beautiful brown or rich black? Use

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50cts. of druggist or R. P. Hall & Co., Nashua, N.H.

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New Stock Constantly Arriving.

Our Last Appeal.

The sale of the remainder of the Bankrupt Stock of the Hertzman Dry Goods Co.

Will continue until

April 7th, 1904.

After said time we will move stock to Hopkinsville. We have cut the price to

50 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR,

And the entire stock must be closed out by April 7. We do not consider the cost, but if you will come and examine our goods will convince you that this is no idle boast and we urge you to come and see for yourself what we are doing. You cannot afford to miss one of the greatest money saving sales ever held in Madisonville. Our stock consists of

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THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1904.

EARLINGTON WELL PAVED.

It has been a matter of general comment that Earlinton is a well paved town in the matter of sidewalks. The street paving, too, has begun and has before it a wide future. This will not come at once, but in time. But the sidewalks, well built and for the most part in excellent order, line all the principal streets and are being added to constantly. The unanimity with which our citizens have done and are doing each his part is strong evidence of the public spirit which animates our people. There is just now a movement for further extension of paving on the south end of Railroad street, leading to the part of town newly and rapidly built up during the past two years with many handsome frame cottages occupied by their owners. At the regular meeting of the City Council Monday evening the matter was discussed and an ordinance drawn in accordance with the understood wishes of the citizens and the necessities of that part of Earlinton. The ordinance will be found in THE BEE's columns. We congratulate the Council and the citizens of Earlinton upon this proposed extension of our good paving system and venture the prediction that the ordinance will be promptly and cheerfully complied with.

LONGER SCHOOL TERM ASSURED.

The bill to extend the common school term in Kentucky has become a law, having been passed by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor. To be sure, the increase is not great, but the slightest advance in the direction of longer terms, more schools or better schools ought to be hailed with universal pleasure by everybody in Kentucky. The public schools in the State are to be taught in future for six months instead of five months as at present. This bill was introduced early in the term by our neighbor, Senator J. F. Porter, of Webster County, Senator for the 4th District. At the time the bill was introduced THE BEE congratulated Senator Porter and the General Assembly upon the proposed measure, and now reiterates its unqualified endorsement of this and all movements for the improvement of educational facilities in Kentucky.

PHILADELPHIA surgeons have succeeded by their art in the heretofore impossible task of mending a broken heart. A desperate lover was "cut dead" by his dusky sweetheart. Literally, she stabbed him in the heart with a knife. Surgeons opened up his trunk and broke three of his "slats" in order to get at his "pumping station". The wounded heart was lifted out of the trunk and six stitches taken to close the big gash made by the knife. The negro is recovering.

THE BEE is growing popular in the Orient. This week's mails have brought the new subscription of Henry C. Moore, of Uncle Sam's Cavalry in the Philippines, and a very interesting letter from Eldred A. Davis, ship's doctor on the U. S. S. Wompatuck. Dr. Davis is always an interesting writer and this letter is particularly good.

Mr. Moore enclosed a Philip-

pine Islands Silver Certificate for "two silver pesos" in payment for his subscription, which the editor retains as a souvenir.

INSURGENTS and others at Frankfort are making the last days the liveliest days in the expiring session of the legislature. The House has resolved that it will not consider any Senate bills till the "last day in the evenin'" and the Senate has followed suit with a similar resolution touching House bills. Between these two resolutions, if adhered to, not even the Committee on Rules will have much of a showing to get what it wants.

MR. SAMUEL MORNINGSTAR, of Louisville, the father of Mr. E. Morningstar, secretary of the Kentucky Press Association, died of pneumonia Sunday morning. Our sympathy goes out with that of the Kentucky Press to our Bob in his loss and bereavement.

They Are Loaded.

Under the above caption, the Lancaster Record truthfully says:

"The hardest of the many hard tasks a newspaper man has is to keep his paper from being 'taken in' by some scheme. Nine out of every ten articles 'contributed' are loaded, and when the editor digs to the bottom he nearly always finds a 'wheel within a wheel.' Just now it is amusing to see how some of the boys have bitten at the scheme to boom Hearst, of New York, for the presidency. A news 'bureau' at Washington has so kindly sent the paperless 'Washington Letters,' telling the paper men they are welcome to them for a certain period, then 'if satisfactory, you may make contract with us.' These letters are well written and full of good matter, but before coming to a close a word for Hearst is so cleverly wedged in that even the trained eye of a newspaper man will frequently fail to detect it. The scheme is working well, many papers, including some of our best exchanges, using them every week. The next 'Washington Letter' you see, look for the boom part thereof."

Encampment at St. Louis During Fair.

Major E. B. Bassett, of the Kentucky State Guards, has announced that the annual encampment of the troops will be at St. Louis during the fair engagement. The Third Regiment, embracing the guards of this part of the State, he thought, would be among the first to embrace the great time anticipated at the Exposition.

Want Harmony.

Mr. Bryan is telling the people again what the six million Democrats who voted for him are going to do. Mr. Bryan may not know it, but there was harmony and a willing ticket, and in order to get that they are willing to make some very important concessions to the million or so of their party friends who did not vote for him. Mr. Bryan should have learned by this time that six million votes will not win if the other fellow gets seven.—Chattanooga Times.

Ayer's

One dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral at bedtime prevents night coughs of children. No croup. No bronchitis. A

Cherry Pectoral
doctor's medicine for all affections of the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs. Sold for over 60 years.

I have a sore throat, Pectoral is my remedy. There is nothing equal to it. I have used it for 20 years.—Mrs. W. H. Barnes, Bradley, Al-

abama, for 20 years.

Night Coughs

Keep the bowls open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

New Field for Discovery.

(Louisville Evening Post.)
There is a poem in the March Lippscott on "Speechless Love." Some one ought to discover speechless politics and sell it to the leading Democrats as more valuable than racism.

Political Fraud and Cowardice.

(Owensboro Inquirer.)
The defeat of the primary election law in the legislature was a good thing. There is no way to make people honest who are not honest without being made. No law that could be framed would prevent the rascality by which elections and conventions are run. The victims of primary frauds always hold themselves to be bound by the political parties which rather be caught in the act of burglary than in bolting a ticket. The more than make verbal complaints of fraud would be equivalent to bolting, and no law could ever reach the primary thieves on that account. Besides, it could generally be established that other fellows tried it but didn't try it strong enough or did not have the last say.

More Election Frauds Encouraged.

(Louisville Herald.)

The new election law applying to cities in Kentucky contains two provisions that justify it in having the title, "A law for the encouragement of more election frauds in Kentucky." The authors and promoters of the amendment must have known that it could be used to corrupt and demoralize voters and elections wherever used and whenever desired. The amendment provides that no person shall be permitted to vote until he shall produce to the election officers his certificate of registration, to be issued to him by the officers of registration and right to another voter. Another provision is that County Clerk, upon the filing of an affidavit of any person who has registered that it has been "otherwise destroyed" after the registration books have been filed, shall furnish the applicant a duplicate certificate of registration.

The primary purpose of the act was, of course, to enable party managers by purchase or otherwise to get control of the votes of poor, ignorant and venal voters. If they purchase the certificates "phonies" can be voted upon them and the registered person will be prevented from voting. It is expected also, that this will enable the poorest negro voters to be tempted and thus eliminate them from voting.

But anybody who has had any experience with elections can see that the confusion resulting will be enormous whenever desired. Many lawful voters can be shut out of voting by the presentation of duplicate certificates. The County Clerk, or any of his deputies can, if they are willing, issue duplicates to any persons applying in any name who merely state that they are registered and whose names are registered, and their certificates have been lost or "otherwise destroyed." Great difficulty would be met in attempting to secure convictions for such a fraud because the Clerk may show that he could not know all the voters and that he has done his duty by requiring the affidavit.

These duplicate certificates can be voted by "phony" voters before the rightful holder of the genuine certificate appears. There is no proper provision made for the punishment of such frauds or for buying certificates to prevent men from voting, and no punishment for selling certificates to affect the result of elections.

All this makes it clear that the law was conceived in iniquity and adopted in pursuance of iniquity, or through ignorance and incompetency that sets the seal of imbecility on the General Assembly. A more hideous attack on the honesty of electors and the integrity of the ballot was never made. And yet the General Assembly affects to shudder when anybody suspects its honesty.

Present From a Cannibal King.

Capt. Foote of the British barqueentine Mary Hendry, now at Barbados, states that during a recent cruise on the African coast he entertained King Ogby, the ruler of the Jakrimi, who inhabit Southern Nigeria. The dusky monarch was much impressed with the vessel. While feasting on roast pork he inquired if it was the flesh of a white man. The king has over a thousand slaves, numerous wives, and quite a crowd of children. Capt. Foote asked him for a piece of tanned skin with which to make a pair of slippers, and the next day a slave came to the vessel with a parcel from the monarch. It contained the hide, from the neck to the waist, of a negro who had been killed by order of King Ogby for the sake of his skin.—From the London Express.

If a man fails to open the door when fortune knocks she will not break it down with a battering ram.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK.

Barnum's show to Europe went; Animals, clowns and big white teut; Made money—How? They were wise, Not afraid to advertise.

Moral: Merchant, do thou likewise.

Energy, brains and capital would remain here without the aid of the newspaper. Small enterprises reach colossal proportions through newspaper advertising. Advertising is good collateral.

Through advertising you reach people that otherwise might never know you were in business. And it proves to the public you are for home enterprises.

Advertising pays, because an advertiser reaches more persons through a progressive newspaper having a large circulation, than by any other method.

A railroad without a time table or a regular train schedule would attract comment, but would not make much money. But a merchant who advertises only now, and then will attract neither comment nor money.

Good Spirits.

Good spirits don't all come from Kentucky. Their main source is the invader and the fine spirits produced in the East.

You could not reme a bad liver or the hundred-and-one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and bad liver at the same time.

Your liver must be in fine condition if you would be buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your pursuits.

You can put yourself in fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach and liver diseases, and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial size, 25¢; regular bottles, 75¢. At all druggists.

Prison Economy.

(Louisville Herald.)

The General Assembly has at last made the discovery that State prison expenses have cost the State \$350,000 more than they brought in.

The Herald made out of the members of the assembly were then running for office and glad to have believed the Governor's declaration that the State prisons were earning a profit. The "economy" that has characterized the last four years of State administration is fearful and wonderful.

Foley's Honey & Tonic.

Cures coughs and colds. Cures bronchitis and asthma. Cures grippe and whooping cough. Cures rheumatism and bronchial troubles. Cures pneumonia and influenza.

Sold by Jno. X. Taylor.

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ASK US ABOUT IT.

W. F. SPOKES, T. P. A.
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Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

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DON'T FAIL TO BRING ME YOUR WORK.

W. G. BARTER, Time Inspector L. Q. N. R. R.

To Those Who Eat

I have purchased the interest of Chas. Eades, of the firm of Walden & Eades, and will continue to sell to the people of Earlinton the best groceries at the lowest prices. Your trade solicited. Yours Truly,

W. L. WALDEN.

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Makes a specialty of Coal Lands, Mining Rights, and Improved Coal Property in the GREAT COAL FIELDS OF WESTERN KENTUCKY. To capital seeking profitable investment he will offer special inducements at Ground Floor Prices.

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He deals extensively in Southern Timbered Lands in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida and Arkansas. No investment holds out such flattering inducements, with such sure profitable returns as do these timbered lands. Money invested in them at present prices will make the investor rich. To investigate means that you will invest. No chance to lose. Suppose you try it. Any size tracts desired.

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No country in the world offers such inducements to the Farming World as does the South. Here all kinds of crops, such as wheat, corn, clover, and all kind of grasses grow in abundance. Fruits of all kinds grow in the South lands equal to any of the Northern states. You can buy Kentucky farm lands today from \$10 to \$90 per acre, which will double in value in a few years. Why live in the North on lands you can sell for \$100 per acre, when it is no better than ours for one-third the price. You make a mistake to do this. Come, let us reason together and you will be benefited thereby.

For further information regarding the land of Flowers and Sunshine and Profitable Investments, call on or write

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BEAUTY OF SKIN PURITY OF BLOOD

Ancient and Modern Ideas on These Interesting Subjects.

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For Purifying and Beautifying the Skin, Scalp, Hair and Hands.

Socrates called beauty a short-lived tyranny, Plato a privilege of nature, Theocritus, a delightful prejudice, Theophrastus a silent chest, Carneades a solitary kingdom, Homer a glorious gift of nature, Ovid a favor of the gods. Aristotle affirmed that beauty was better than all the letters of recommendation in the world, and yet none of these distinguished authorities has ever even a word of how beauty is to be perpetuated, or the averages of age and disease defied. The human blinks the eye and the rose from the palor of age, disease dots the fair face with cutaneous disfigurements, and crimson the Roman soldier's cheek. Maggots, fleas, moth, if not rats, corrupt the glory of eyes, teeth, and lips yet beauty is defacing the body, and kills the soul, the heart, with despair.

If such be the unhappy condition of one afflicted with slight skin blemishes, what must be the feelings of those in whom, to boot, the skin over many years can riot, covering the skin with scales and sores and charging the blood with poison? Such a being becomes a part of the system itself dead!

It is in the treatment of torturing, disfiguring humors and afflictions of the skin, hair and blood, with which hair, that the Cutaneous remedies have achieved their greatest success. Originally in composition, scientifically composed, always safe, and applicable in any climate, always ready and agreeable to the most delicate and sensitive, they present to young and old the most successful cures of modern times.

OUR DAWSON LETTER.

Miss Mabel Howard, a charming young lady of Hopkinsville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Squalls.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Beshear, of Memphis, are the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. R. Ligon.

Judge Randolph, of Princeton, was a business caller here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Dixon have returned from a visit to relatives at Clay, Ky.

Miss Ethel Holman, of Caldwell county, is the guest of Miss Vera Kirkwood.

Miss Essie Woodruff charmingly entertained a few of her friends at cards Wednesday evening.

Miss Verma McGregor spent last week with her parents near here.

W. H. Hamby made a business trip to Paducah Thursday.

Mr. Tichenor, of Nuckols, Ky., has moved to this place.

W. L. Burks, of Princeton, was here Saturday and Sunday.

Louise Fox, of Crabtree, was here Saturday on business.

Quite a number of Dawson's young people went to a dance Saturday evening about seven miles out in the country. Talking about fun, but it certainly was had on that trip, and mud was plentiful.

Dr. R. H. Perry is laid up with a gripe.

Miss Irene Wallace gave a "party party" last Friday evening. Music, dancing, games and social conversation were the features of the evening. Miss Mary Barton and Rufus Arnold carried off the prizes.

Oris Dickey represented an old maid of 1880. Those who had the pleasure of being present were: Mr. and Mrs. Al Orton, Mr. and Mrs. Gard Hamby and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Beshear; Misses Florence Parish, Mable Howard, Laura, Bonnie and Elma Ligon, Pearl Bates, Daisy Bradford, Ethel Jones, Gertrude Millin, Enola Potts, Orr Dickey, Hattie and Lula Scott and Leila Rider; Messrs. Rufus Arnold, James Price, Moir A. Noel, Elmer Travis, Tom Wallace, Ivy Millin, Frank Shaw, Asa Ligon, Talmage Price and Dr. C. Miles. At a late hour the jolly crowd departed for their respective homes, after wishing the fair hostess a long life of happiness and expressing a desire to meet with her again on similar occasions.

Mrs. T. J. Pike, of Earlinton, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. Gilmour.

Mrs. Albert Martin, of Earlinton, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Muus.

Will Jackson, of Marshall, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends here. This is Will's old home and every one is glad to see him.

Harry Brown, of Dawson, was here the latter part of last week.

Bailey Franklin, of Nortonville, was here Saturday and Sunday.

The Postal Telegraph gang left for Paducah Sunday evening. Some of the fast sex have had the blues every since.

Miss Kate Ausenbaugh returned home Monday from a visit at Princeton with relatives.

Walter Jenkins, of Crabtree, was here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott returned from Nebo Monday from a visit with the former's father.

Mrs. Chas. Howell, of White Plains, is visiting her father, John Dunn.

H. H. Proctor, the night operator, was called to Louisville Saturday by the General Superintendent of the I. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Trout, of Wheatcroft, are the guests of Mrs. Eula Fox.

No. 121 got off the track Monday afternoon and delayed all the trains until 6 o'clock.

Miss Lella Rider entertained at card Monday evening. The present was a Miss Irene Barton, Elma Ligon, Bonnie and Elma Ligon; Messrs. Moir A. Noel, Elmer Travis, Bill Stoll and — Smith. Thanking their hostess for the pleasant evening the young people departed at a late hour for their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Fox entertained Tuesday evening in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. Trout.

Help Your Town.

Praise it.
Improve it.
Talk about it.
Write about it.
Be public spirited.

Take a home pride in it.
Tell of its business men.
Remember it is your home.
Tell of its business resources.
Tell of its natural advantages.

Trade and induce others to trade here:

When strangers come to town use them well.

Don't tell your best citizens frauds and lies.

Support your local institutions that benefit your town.

Look ahead of self when all the town is to be considered.

Help your public officers do the most good for the most people.

Don't advertise in the local paper to help the editor, but advertise to help yourself.

Don't forget you live off the people there, and you should help others as they help you.

Frogs Treatment of Patients.

There is no cure for a disease for anyone to attempt to doctor himself, although he may have the proper remedies at hand. A physician should always be called.

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BARRINGTON IS GUILTY OF MURDER

Verdict of the Jury at Clayton, Mo., in the Case of Barrington for Killing McCann.

TWAS MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE CARRYING THE DEATH PENALTY.

Barrington received the verdict in silence. But became pale and visibly trembled. Then he realized what the verdict meant—An Appeal will be taken if new trial is denied.

St. Louis, March 7.—The jury in the case of F. Seymour Barrington, for the murder of J. P. McCann, brought in a verdict of guilty in the first degree at 11:30 o'clock Saturday night. They had been on the table longer than those hours, the penalty of the verdict is death. Barrington received the verdict in silence, although he became pale and trembled visibly.

The crowd which had attended the trial during the day remained in the hope of hearing the verdict. When the jury came in, the report said that the jury had come to an understanding brought the spectators scurrying back into the courtroom. Finally the announcement.



F. SEYMOUR BARRINGTON.
The Convicted Murderer.

was made that the jury had reached a verdict. The jury was brought into the courtroom in charge of Deputy Sheriff Ossenfort and Harry Schaeckel. Barrington came into the courtroom guarded by Jailer Jake Roth and Deputy Sheriff J. W. Blair.

The silence preceding the reading of the verdict was deafening. Barrington sat in his accosted place as though carved of stone. It was evident to all that he was attempting to maintain the same composure he had exhibited throughout the trial. Before making the verdict public Judge McElhinney warned the spectators that a demonstration would not help him. He then asked the foreman of the jury if the verdict reached was his verdict. The foreman, in a distinct voice, declared that it was. Judge McElhinney



JAMES P. McCANN.
The Victim.

in turn asked each of the jurors the same question and received the same answer.

The attorneys who defended Barrington immediately gave notice that a new trial would be granted if the event that this is refused, an appeal will be taken. Judge McElhinney deferred sentence until the motions for a new trial and appeal are passed upon. Barrington was led back to his cell.

After the verdict, Mr. McCann, who remains at Clayton, declared that he had no statement to make.

Sketch of His Crime.

The crime for which Barrington must hang was the murder of his friend and benefactor, James P. McCann, a well-known horseman, who befriended the boozes English lord after his release from the world's most notorious prison. The murder occurred near Bonita, St. Louis county, June 18, 1902, where Barrington lured McCann late at night. Barrington afterward returned to McCann's home in the city removed his bloody clothing, and is said to have paid sufficient court to McCann's widow until the body of the murdered man was found ten days later.

Barrington, who is said to have a record as an English crook, came to St. Louis in December, 1902, and soon sprang into notoriety. Receiving himself as an English lord, he became acquainted with many prominent people, and finally married Miss Grace Wilhelmina Cochrane, of Kansas City, who he evidently thought an heiress. She thought him a nobleman, and both were deeply in love. They were married at the home of Miss Cochrane's brother, and afterwards sent to the workhouse for disturbing Cochrane's peace. He was later pardoned by May- or Wells.

GRAFT IS ONLY SPORADIC

Report of the Municipal "Graft" Committee to the Chicago Council.

There is No "Systematic" Graft There Such as Obtain in Other Cities, Says the Report.

Chicago, March 9.—After three revolutions the report of the Municipal "Graft" committee has been given to the city council. Alexander H. Freeman, chairman of the committee, handed in the document, which concludes five months of investigation into charges of city hall corruption.

The report finds there is no graft in Chicago, that is, no "systematic" graft such as obtain in other cities. Graft in Chicago is only "sporadic."

The report also makes recommendations for the reform of public evils.

The investigation was started when Mayor Harrison in an interview last fall said that if he were to meet with reformists, he would have grafters hunting out every window of the city hall.

The results—before the report was issued—were the suspension or discharge of more than fifty city employees, the indictment of a dozen, and the resignation of a number of commissioners. The writer of measures for the suppression of vice the report of the committee took issue with several of the reform movements which are now in the public eye.

The report favors all-night saloons located outside the business and industrial areas, and as a solution of the problems arising from the social evil, advocates the segregation of red light resorts in certain quarters of the city to be denominated by the chief of police.

The Chicago police, states the report, come favorably with the peace officers of other cities, but laxity in the discipline of the department is only too apparent.

MURDERER'S DARING ESCAPE

Mark Dunn, the Convicted Murderer, Sentenced to Hang March 18, Executed at St. Joseph, Mo.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 8.—Mark Dunn, convicted of the murder, in this county, of a wealthy farmer named Dunn, was yesterday sentenced to death to be hanged March 18, escaped from jail Monday morning. Dunn got possession of two revolvers that were smuggled into jail in a coal oil can and forced the death watch to believe he had been hanged. He had hidden his baskets. He held the watchman prisoner all night, and forced him to call the jailor soon after daylight. Dunn threatened to kill the death watchman unless the jailor would let him out through the bars. The jailor did as ordered. Then the murderer forced the jailor and his brother, a deputy sheriff, to enter the jail, locking them in and escaping with the key.

Posses are scouring the country for the fugitive.

GETTYSBURG HERO IS DEAD.

Capt. Ira W. Cory, Bravery at Critical Point Checks Flank Movement of Second Day's Battle.

New York, March 5.—Capt. Ira W. Cory, whose company on the extreme left of the First Brigade checked the advance of Gen. Lee's troops, saving the day and aid the confederate brigade back until the union artillery arrived, after an hour, is dead at his home in Morristown, N. J. Gen. Banks' field, wounded by a score of bullets, under the first volley from Cory's company, and his company's success in checking the flank movement was one of the features of the second day's battle.

FOR RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

Delegation of Kansas City Business Men Go to Washington to Ask for an Appropriation.

Kansas City, Mo., March 5.—A delegation of prominent citizens left here Friday night for Washington, where they expect to appear on Monday next before the house committee on rivers and harbors, and make a plea for an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for river improvements.

FRANK ROSE TO BE SHOT.

On Christmas Day He Shot and Killed His Wife and Left His Child Without Food.

Salt Lake City, Utah, March 8.—Frank Rose, who on Christmas day shot and killed his wife and left his two-year-old boy for days without food, was sentenced to the state prison for life. The mother was Monday sentenced to be shot on April 22. Rose was very cool. When Judge Morris gave him choice of death by hanging or shooting, as provided by law, Rose said grimly, "Oh, I'll take the shot."

SAMUEL A. GROFF SENTENCED

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WELL KNOWN FARMER SUICIDES

Near Charleston by Cutting His Throat.
Insanity Said to be the Cause.

Pinkney Brown, a well known farmer living near Charleston this county, committed suicide last Wednesday by cutting his throat. It is said Mr. Brown had been acting queerly for some time and it is thought his mind was impaired. His family had been watching him closely for several weeks to see that he did himself no harm. On the day of the sad affair the family were all at supper with the exception of his wife who was watching him. In some manner he gave her the slip and when once out of the house ran swiftly a short distance and quickly began slashing his throat with a knife. His wife followed as soon as possible calling for assistance but by the timeshe and the other members of the family reached the unfortunate man he had succeeded in severing an artery and the blood was gushing from the ghastly wound. He was quickly removed to the house and a physician was summoned. He had lost so much blood however nothing could save him and he died the next day. The deceased was about fifty years old and a good citizen and well thought of in his neighborhood.

KENTUCKY NEGRO

Lynched by Ohio Mob for Killing an Officer—Body Strung up in Street.

Springfield, O., March 7.—An enraged mob of nearly 1,000 men to-night battered down the doors of the jail and lynched Richard Dixon, of Cynthiana, Ky., a negro who shot and killed Patrolman Charles Collins yesterday. The jail was thought to be impregnable, but the infuriated mob used railroad irons on the heavy doors successfully. When inside the Sheriff and his deputies surrendered in face of such a superior force and the negro was taken to the jail yard and shot to death. The body was then taken to the corner of Main street and Fountain avenue and hanged to a telegraph pole, when the mob spent half an hour in riddling it with bullets fired from several hundred revolvers.

BOATNER CASE

Called at Hartford Monday—Defendant is Charged With Receiving Fund Embezzled by Schlitzbaum.

Owensboro, Ky., March 7.—The March term of the Ohio County Circuit Court convened at Hartford today with Judge Birkhead on the bench. Ben D. Ringo is acting as Commonwealth's Attorney at Hartford for the first time since his election.

The first case on the docket for tomorrow is the Commonwealth against J. W. Boatner for receiving embezzled money. The case arose out of the sensational express episode here two years ago. Boatner claimed to have shipped \$28,000 to Fordsville by express. A. B. Schlitzbaum, the agent at Fordsville, claimed he was held up and robbed of Boatner's package and funds of the Illinois Central Railroad Company. He was tried on the charge of embezzling the railroad company's money and given one year in the penitentiary. It is charged in the indictment that he gave the money to Boatner.

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**HAPPENINGS
IN KENTUCKY.**

London, Ky., March 7.—The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty in the case of the Rev. John Hickey, who was charged with adultery. Mr. Hickey came here from Knox county. He is an evangelist and has been preaching near London for some time. He was brought here a short time ago by the Sheriff and lodged in jail until the day of trial arrived.

The courthouse was crowded to its fullest capacity at the trial. After the verdict was rendered the court was dismissed after prayer led by Rev. Hickey.

Union, Ky., March 7.—Prof. Gordiner, of Chicago, has been elected superintendent of the local school. He managed the public school several years ago. The tax was voted off and since then school matters have been almost at a standstill. Now the graded school has been voted back and with Prof. Gordiner at its head, assisted by six competent teachers, Unioon is happy.

Whitesburg, Ky., March 7.—The recent session of the Letcher county grand jury played havoc with country merchants who have been selling decoctions that produce drunkenness. One John Webb, who runs a little store in the county, was given a \$50 fine for selling a "la-grappe cure" at his place, and several other indictments were added. The moonshiners and patent medicine vendors are more aggressive now than ever before.

West Liberty, Ky., March 7.—Rain began falling last evening and continued to fall this morning. The creeks are all high and the Licking river is rising rapidly. Thousands of logs are being drifted today and the lumbermen are jubilant.

Saints' Grove, Ky., March 7.—"Aunt Polly" Sullinger died at her home near Bristol of extreme old age. On the same day her sister, Mrs. Sallie White died at the home of infirmities incident to old age.

The Mayfield Planing Mills Co. is preparing to build on the burned site a greater and more commodious business office, salesroom and warehouse, the walls to be encased in steel siding.

Frankfort, Ky., March 7.—Gov. Beckham today appointed Judge John S. Morris, of Oldham county, to act as special Judge of the Spencer Circuit Court at the regular term of that court, about to begin. The Governor also named Attorney Alexander Lackey, of Louisville, to act as special Judge of the Johnson Circuit Court, to preside in the trial of the contested election case of Preston against Price. The case is to be heard within the next week.

Jackson, Ky., March 7.—The City Council passed an ordinance today to revere the Electric and Power Company. This company built and operated an electric light plant in Jackson in 1890. The engine was disabled and since that time the town has been in darkness. The light company will bring an action in the Federal Court to set aside the ordinance.

COURT OF APPEALS

Will Pass on Execution Filed in the Powers Case March 17th.

The effort of Caleb Powers to secure a new trial will be taken up in the Court of Appeals March 17th. Attorneys for the defense are busy preparing briefs and will be ready for the argument on that date.

The argument will be an exhaustive one, and will require several days. Powers is confident he will get a new hearing.

In the event of the affirmation of the verdict of the lower court by the Court of Appeals, attorneys for the defendant will seek to carry the case to the Supreme Court.

Oldest Catholic Priest in Louisville Diocese.

The Very Rev. Father Lawrence Bax, the oldest Catholic priest in the Louisville diocese in point of service, will celebrate the 51st anniversary of his ordination at St. John's church next Sunday. Last year Father Bax celebrated his golden sacerdotal jubilee with elaborate ceremonies, the festivities lasting three days. This year the celebration will be conducted in a less elaborate manner.



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News of the Mines.

ALABAMA OPERATORS

Visit Earlington to Investigate Coal Washers Interested in Pyrites.

Mr. J. B. Carrington, a consulting engineer, of Birmingham, and Mr. Percy Smith, of Talladega, Ala., visited Earlington Tuesday on a tour of investigation. Mr. Carrington is connected with the Abernant Coal Co., of Birmingham. Mr. Smith is owner of a large pyrites mine at Talladega. They were interested in the general mining operations here but came particularly to investigate the Campbell coal washing plant of the St. Bernard Mining Co., with a view to its adaptability for separating pyrites from its impurities. It is probable that a test will be made with the washer on the pyrites proposition.

The Thompson Coal Field.

The famous Rock Spring coal field, generally known as the Thompson coal field, and consisting of some one thousand acres, immediately north of the town of Wheatcroft, has just been purchased by Mr. Irving H. Wheatcroft, and it is generally thought that the property will be developed immediately, consideration made with the washer on the pyrites proposition.

The Thompson coal field has

been known for many years as probably the richest undeveloped coal field in the State, and contains at least three of the best workable veins that are found in the West in Kentucky coal field.

The property adjoins that of the Wheatcroft Coal Mining Co.,

and the top vein of coal is the

famous vein 11 coal, six feet in

in depth, which is being exten-

sively operated by the Wheat-

croft Coal & Mining Co. at

Wheatcroft.

It is generally understood that a new shaft or opening will be made on the property at once, and it is probable that a spur line of railroad about a mile long will have to be built to the centre of this coal field, to reach the most advantageous place in which to open it.—Dixon Journal.

Organizing Connellsville Miners.

Unionizing the coal miners in the Connellsville region appears to be an uphill undertaking. It wouldn't be if there was a necessity for the movement. If the union would improve conditions instead of impairing them the workers would organize, but they can only judge the future by a comparison of the ten years since. If they are true in their investigations and conclusions they will not join the miners,

union.—Connellsville News.

Anthractite Coal Case.

Washington, March 7.—The Supreme Court of the United States today began the hearing of the Interstate Commerce Commission vs. David G. Baird and others. It is known as the anthracite coal case and originated in 1902 in a proceeding before the Interstate Commerce Commission against the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad Company, instigated by William R. Hearst, who charged that the company was pooling rates on coal with other roads penetrating the anthracite region and that the rates were unreasonable and unjust.

Attorney General, of the H. J. G. Carlisle, appeared for the Government, and Messrs. G. Johnson, P. Moot, J. G. Campbell, W. W. Rose and G. F. Brownell for the railroad company.

Geological Survey.

Frankfort, Ky., March 7.—Gov. Beckham signed bill this afternoon re-establishing geological survey and providing \$15,000 annually for two years.

The Crittenden Press says:

In the district around Marion are to be found lead, zinc, spar, barita (used for making paint, the adulteration of sugar and other things), ochre, nickel, cobalt, potters' clay and the highest grade fire clay in the country. The nickel and cobalt were found a short time ago in Crittenden county at a depth of 105 feet and there is quite a vein of \$25,000.

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The Rock Springs Coal & Mining Co. has purchased and will develop 1,000 acres of coal lands at Morgantown, Ky.

Weighman Jno. Blain, of the Daniel Boone mine, was here a short while Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. Curren, of the No. 11 mine, is on the sick list this week.

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